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Aches and Pains  
in muscles and  
joints  
are relieved by  
**Scott's**  
**Emulsion**  
It makes you well

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## SUDDEN DEATH

Of Dr. A. H. Moore, Mayor  
of Ashland.

Great Shock to Relatives and Friends  
in This, His Native County.---  
Overwork Caused Death.

Dr. A. H. Moore died at Ashland last Friday evening from a hemorrhage of the brain. Being a native of this county and having many relatives here the sad news caused almost as great a shock as it did in Ashland, where he was one of the most prominent and beloved citizens.

The following account is from the Ashland Independent:

The entire citizenship of Ashland and surrounding territory was grieved and shocked last night at about six o'clock when the news was flashed over the wires that Dr. A. H. Moore was dead. He had been about the city in his usual health, which had not been good of late, and the entire day had been a very busy one with him.

At five o'clock he was at home, the dearest place on earth to him, sitting on the front veranda with his daughters, Misses Mada and Vera. They were discussing some things of the future in regard to the college days of the young ladies, and what he hoped to have them do. Suddenly he put his hand to his head and said to the girls that he felt badly. They assisted him through the door into the hall, where he sat down on a chair. Mrs. Moore was upstairs, dressing, and he called to her, and she says she could detect by the tone of his voice that something dreadful was about to happen. She answered from the head of the stairs, and seeing the distressed look on his face, rushed down to his side. She thought she could assist him to the couch in the parlor near by, but in doing so, he fell to the floor, Mrs. Moore falling with him. Help was quickly summoned and a number of the best doctors in the city called, but he passed beyond all human aid, and died shortly after six o'clock without having regained consciousness.

Dr. Moore had been in failing health for a little over a year. He consulted a specialist at Cincinnati, who advised him to take a complete rest. This for a man constituted as was Dr. Moore was a very difficult thing to do. He told his wife and daughters that he was going to accept the doctor's advice and take a complete rest. He went to Hot Springs, Ark., accompanied by Mrs. Moore where they stayed for six weeks, and where he was greatly benefited. Not only did he enjoy a large and lucrative practice, but his duties as Mayor of Ashland compelled him to devote much time to the affairs of the city, and this was usually of such a nature that it required considerable vitality.

Last February Dr. Moore again felt the need of a vacation and he journeyed to Hot Springs the second time, where he again seemed to be much benefited, but hearing of the great floods in this section of the country, he again left the call of duty, and no persuasion of Mrs. Moore could induce him to remain at Hot Springs.

Dr. A. H. Moore was born September 17, 1869 at Wilbur, Lawrence county, Ky. He was the son of Garland and Messie Berry Moore. There was a large family consisting of eight brothers and one sister. His mother died when he was a lad of ten years, but he frequently said he never had forgotten the valuable lessons taught by her. His father died about six years ago, and his brother, Garfield Moore, who represented this district in the last session of the Kentucky Legislature died less than one year ago. He is survived by six brothers and one sister of his father's family, and by his wife and two daughters, of this city.

The brothers are E. L., Gus, Jno. L. C., B. F., and Roscoe. The only sister is Mrs. Mollie Ball. Mrs. Moore is a daughter of the late S. K. Muncey.

Dr. Moore was a self-made man in the truest and broadest sense of the word. He obtained his early education in the country schools of Lawrence county, and afterwards attended Professor Elam's Normal School at Blaine, where he progressed so rapidly that he was soon granted a certificate to teach school. He followed this calling for several years. He was married to Miss Mollie Muncy, January 15th, 1891, and shortly after this decided that he wanted to be a doctor, and he entered Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia, where he worked his way through school, spending four years there and graduating with honors.

He came to Ashland in 1896 where he entered upon the practice of medicine and success seemed to follow his efforts from the very outset.

He was a staunch and devoted member of the First M. E. Church, of this city, and he will be missed as much from the ranks of this church organization as he will from the city government and from the medical profession.

The funeral took place Monday afternoon. The schools and every business house in Ashland closed to do honor to his memory.

### THE COUNTY FAIR.

Preparations for the opening of the Lawrence County Fair on Thursday next go on apace. Judging from what is being done it is safe to prophesy that it will be the best in all its varied and interesting features ever held here. Our people have become deeply interested and are taking hold as never before. It is promised that a fine brass band will be on the grounds every day to enliven things with good music. This will be a most attractive feature, one which never fails to draw a crowd. The premium list grows daily by the addition of handsome and valuable prizes. Mr. and Mrs. Farmer, you are losing something if you do not enter the lists and compete for the beautiful and useful premiums which are offered. It is not too late. Come Thursday, Friday and Saturday and enjoy the display.

## GOVERNOR McCREARY

Will Speak at Louisa Friday Evening  
of Next Week.

Unless something unforeseen should occur, Gov. McCreary will arrive in Louisa on Friday, Oct. 10, and be the chief speaker at an educational rally to be held that evening at the Kentucky Normal College auditorium. The arrangements have been completed as far as possible to date, and it is thought no change in the plans will occur. Congressman John W. Langley will also be present. The people are looking forward to the event with a great deal of interest. A very large crowd is expected to be present.

The Governor is besieged with calls from all directions and it is difficult to choose where he will go. Louisa is one of the favored few. Remember the date and don't fail to attend.

### CLEAN UP THE TOWN.

At the Business Men's League meeting Tuesday night it was decided to designate Friday, Oct. 3rd, as "clean-up day" in Louisa. The city authorities were called upon to help and promised to do so. Also, the Nora Kennison Club was requested to assist. Augustus Snyder proposed to cut all grass and weeds from the streets if citizens would first remove all obstructions that would injure the mowing machine. Let everybody help, and thus get the town into presentable condition for the big doings next week.

### MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

Louisa will, within the next week have many distinguished visitors. The Governor of our State will be here. Our streets and alleys do not present a pleasant appearance. Every citizen of the town is asked to give next Friday, Oct. 3rd, to the good cause of cleaning up around your premises. JOHN G. BURNS, Mayor.

### Mrs. Fraley Died in Hospital.

At a few minutes past twelve on Friday night last Mrs. James Fraley, of Paintsville, died in River-view hospital and was buried in the Fulkerson cemetery on Saturday afternoon. She had been brought to the hospital in the early part of the week, suffering with typhoid fever, and had been very sick for several days. She lost two children with typhoid and her own life was despaired of and she was brought to the hospital because she could be properly cared for while she lived. Owing to Mrs. Fraley's great weight, 300 pounds, and her condition at the time she died it was not deemed advisable to take the body back to Paintsville for interment. There was no casket in Louisa large enough to hold the body, so a handsome case which had held a large casket was properly fitted up and used as a coffin. It was six and a half feet long and very deep and wide. The deceased and her husband were total strangers here but the woman was given Christian burial, the Rev. Mr. Plummer, of the M. E. Church, holding appropriate services at the grave. Neither was the tender courtesy of a floral offering forgotten. Before the coffin was placed in the hearse, the Rev. Mr. Plummer, of the M. E. Church, holding appropriate services at the grave. Neither was the tender courtesy of a floral offering forgotten. Before the coffin was placed in the hearse, the Rev. Mr. Plummer, of the M. E. Church, holding appropriate services at the grave. Neither was the tender courtesy of a floral offering forgotten.

### David Meredith Passes Away.

Mr. David Meredith, formerly of Donthan creek, this county, died Saturday last at his home in Kenova. On the Monday following he was buried in the Catlettsburg cemetery with Masonic honors. The religious service was conducted by his lifelong friend, the Rev. H. B. Hulett, of this city.

Mr. Meredith was born in Wayne county 65 years ago. He is survived by a widow and 15 children. All these children except two who live in the west were present at the obsequies. The deceased was a worthy man in all respects. He was sober, upright, and industrious, and a devoted and consistent member of the M. E. Church South. When only a lad he joined the Confederate army, battling with the gray-clad hosts of Lee until the star of the South set at Appomattox.

### Revives An Old Project.

The Burning Springs company has recently been incorporated for the purpose of developing the famous Burning Springs property near Kermit. The capital of the company is \$50,000 and the incorporators are David McCormick, of St. Louis; F. B. Enslow, J. W. Hagen, Jr., N. H. Richardson and W. R. Fulton, of Huntington.

Half a century ago coal and salt were shipped on flat boats from this property to Catlettsburg. For years it has been good gas producing territory.

### Forty-Eighth State Convention.

The Kentucky Sunday School Association will meet in Louisville Tuesday, October 7th and continue four days. The special features of this greatest of meetings are many and of the most interesting character. Anyone who desires to attend is a delegate.

This Convention has for its great objective the spiritual welfare of all the people of Kentucky. Every one who attends will add to the value of this Convention. Every delegate will receive some information and inspiration for his own life and help in his own school.

### VESTIBULE COACHES.

Much to the gratification of travelers on the Big Sandy division of the C. and O. comfortable vestibule coaches have been put on the road. All the passenger trains are not yet fully equipped with these coaches, but the NEWS learns that as fast as they can be obtained they will take the place of the antiquated, uncomfortable cars which have been used so long.

## GOOD ROADS DAYS

October 24th and 25th Set  
Apart for Work.

Gov. McCreary Issues Proclamation  
Calling Upon Citizens of Kentucky  
to Work Roads Two Days.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 1.—A proclamation was issued today by Gov. McCreary "calling upon the people in every county of the State of Kentucky to work on the roads in their respective counties on Friday and Saturday, October 24 and 25, commencing at 8 o'clock in the morning each and continue until 5 o'clock in the afternoon."

"The county judge and engineer of each county are directed to aid the people in complying with this request, and they are authorized to select such persons as may be needed to assist."

"In every county where there is no engineer or where they fail to act, the Sheriff or other persons are authorized to organize and comply with this proclamation."

It is hoped that all other business will be suspended in Lawrence county on those days and that everybody will work.

### THE BUSY BURGLAR.

The busy burglar was abroad in Louisa Wednesday night, visiting five places in his—or their—search for plunder. The places at which calls were made were the C. & O. freight depot, William Sammons' grocery, B. Dixon's store near his residence at the lower end of Lock avenue, and the Louisa Furniture store. The raid would not have been complete without a visit to the last named place. At the depot entrance was made through a window. Two or three packages of goods were broken open but nothing of value is missing. At Sammons' store just across the street from the depot, a drawer, probably mistaken for the money drawer, was broken into but it contained nothing of worth. If the money box had been tapped \$20 would have rewarded the robbers for their trouble. Entrance was gained at Dixon's store by breaking the glass in a window. A watch, two boxes of cigars and a dollar and a half in pennies comprised the loot. Pennies were found Thursday morning scattered from the store to the upper side of the railroad track. Mr. Shannon, as far as the NEWS can learn, has missed nothing but some shotgun shells, but he found a couple of black hats which he hoped would form a clue to the identity of the thieves, but investigation showed that the boarding house of Mrs. Polly Evans had been visited and the two hats, property of her boarders had been stolen and probably left at the Shannon place as a blind.

At this hour no arrests have been made. In a town where so many live without work or visible means of support such raids as this are to be expected. The wonder is that they do not occur more frequently.

### E. POE HARRIS MARRIED.

The numerous friends of Attorney Edgar Poe Harris, city attorney of Catlettsburg, and one of the best known and most popular young lawyers of this section of Kentucky will be surprised to learn that he was married in Jeffersonville, Ind., on Wednesday, Aug. 30, of this year to Miss Pearl Hindman, of Columbus, Ky.

The bride is superintendent of public schools of Adair county, and a most lovely cultured young lady. Harris is a son of Brig Harris, a well known citizen of Catlettsburg, who lived at Whitehouse, Johnson county, many years.

The teachers institute at Gallup on Friday last was generally attended, only two teachers in the district being absent. The meeting was a very interesting one. The Louisa public school was closed to allow the teachers to attend.

### SURVEY FOR NEW RAILROAD.

Surveyors for the N. & W. Railroad company are now engaged in the preliminary work for a new line which is to extend along the south side of Tug river for a distance of 50 miles or more. The work so far covers the territory between Majestic, opposite Cedar, to Turkey creek, two miles west of Williamson and will include Naugatuck before it is concluded.

No information is to be had as to the plans of the company but it has been hinted that the activity of the B. and O. in the Kentucky coal fields has caused the N. and W. to take the initiative in further extending its tonnage by acquiring new territory. Whether the survey means immediate building is merely a matter of conjecture.

It has been known for some time, however, that plans have been projected for the development in the near future of vast acreages in Pike county and a line of railway along the Kentucky side of Tug river will be a necessity as the N. and W.'s lines on the West Virginia side are almost constantly engaged to the limit. Even if there is no new development such a line would relieve the situation at congested centers.

### GLOOM!

Gloom, so thick you can almost hang your hat on it, has settled like a pall over the unmarried portion of Louisa femininity. Sorrow is general, some of the fair ones even wondering if crape would become their style of beauty. Why this thinsness? Camp Clark has struck tents, pulled up stakes and gone hence, and with it the young engineers who had caused so many tender sighs and quickened heart-throbs for several weeks past. By order of Commander-in-chief Clark the entire outfit has gone to Richardson, which for some time to come, will be headquarters for the corps of surveyors. But there's a rift in the clouds through which Sunday may be seen shining like a silver dollar in a mudhole. On this blessed day no work will be done. The boys all have passes, and they'll use 'em!

## CONFEDERATE PENSIONS.

Another List of Men in Northeast  
Kentucky Granted Pensions.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 29.—Another big list of names of persons granted Confederate pensions was issued to-day by the State Pension Board. In the list are:

Pike County—James Brewer, Jno. Castle, James Ratliff and S. H. Stone.

Morgan County—Algellina Barker, J. W. Cassidy, S. D. Goodwin, J. B. Johnson, L. A. Holbrook, Hannah A. Havens, Eliza M. Kelly, Noah Long, R. D. Motley, Daniel Peyton and P. M. Turner.

Floyd County—Thomas Amburgey, Charles Goble, W. M. Hubbard, Joseph Martin, J. W. Miller, Hiram Taylor and J. H. Wright.

Lawrence County—F. C. Cochran, T. B. Elswick, Jordan Hunsley, Alamo Hicks and Silas F. Reynolds.

Martin County—Jno. Burgett and Andy Thompson.

Magoffin County—Jno. Collins, M. L. Johnson, James F. Lykins, Wiley Reed, William Shephard and Morgan Wireman.

Knott County—W. J. Bates, W. J. Hall and H. C. Moore.

Boyd County—Warfield Lee.

Elliott County—Jesse Gillum, Elizabeth Howard, J. N. Lawson, R. P. Maddox and J. E. Oliver.

Letcher County—David Caudill and Emory Taylor.

### ENTERTAINED AT DINNER.

Mr. Frank Robertson, who is engineer for the Boxley people who have a contract on Beaver creek, was here Sunday on his way to his home at Salem, Va., where he was married Thursday. The bride is a relative of Mr. John Dillard, well known in this city. While here Mr. Robertson was entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Johnson, who knew him at Lock Thirteen, Kentucky river.

### SON OF SUG. RHODES SUICIDES.

Our city was thrown into consternation this morning by the report of the suicide of young Joseph Rhodes, son of Representative S. E. G. Rhodes of this county. The sad tragedy occurred last night about 10 o'clock, with no one to witness the sad affair. It seems that about this hour young Rhodes had repaired to his room alone, his step-mother being absent attending to her employment. The mother came home between ten and eleven o'clock and went to her room as usual and slept through the night. This morning the corpse was found in the young man's room with a pistol shot through his brain. The mother says the shooting must have been done before 10 o'clock, as she heard no report of the firing of the pistol, she having slept all night in an adjoining room. A reporter of this newspaper viewed the body this morning, lying before his bureau, and the pistol by his side. No one seems to know how the shooting occurred. The mother says there had been no intimation or indication of suicide, as the young man had appeared in good spirits.

The coroner's jury investigated the affair, but there could have been no reason to believe that the death was caused other than by his own hand whether by intentional suicide or accident, no one can ever tell.—Williamson News.

### ROSH HASHANAH.

Our Hebrew friend, Mr. Jake Isralsky, has gone to Charleston to observe Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish New Year. It began at sundown Wednesday, which marks the beginning of the Hebrew holy day season. The Biblical sources for the Rosh Hashanah are found in Leviticus 23:23-25.

In the olden days, when the Temple at Jerusalem was still in existence this holy day, as were all of the Jewish holy days, was distinguished by an elaborate ceremony of offering animal sacrifices. But with the destruction of the Temple by the Roman cohorts in the year 70 A. D., the custom of sacrifice was abrogated, and public prayer took the place of that ancient institution. Today the Rosh Hashanah is celebrated by an exceptionally beautiful song and prayer service.

An interesting and inspiring feature of the morning service in the synagogue is the blowing of the trumpet, the purpose of which is to awaken in the heart of the hearer a full appreciation of his religious and moral duty.

### GOOD ROADS.

Mr. Marlon Ross, of the State Roads Department, Frankfort, was here this week. On Wednesday he and County Engineer Calloway, while riding in a buggy not far from this place, were upset and horse, buggy and occupants rolled to the bottom of the elevation along which the "road" ran. Bruises and torn clothes resulted.

### HAS TYPHOID FEVER.

Mrs. Claude Wilson, formerly of Louisa, was brought from Williamson Tuesday and taken to River-view hospital, suffering from typhoid fever. Her husband was with her.

### U. C. T.

Local Commercial Travelers had a meeting and banquet in Ashland Saturday. Louisians who attended were T. B. Billups, George Lewis, B. E. Adams, J. M. Adams, B. J. Chaffin, Ira See and Chitt Holbrook.

### NOT MUCH TO TAKE.

The ice man sees the summer wane and finds himself in clover. The gas man steps upon the scene to take what you've left over.

### J. M. S.

The Juvenile Missionary Society of the M. E. Church South will meet on Saturday afternoon with Miss Anna Mary Miller.

Lindsey Lester has sold his house and lot in upper Louisa, near the college, to Charles Peters, who has moved to his new home. Mr. Lester is occupying the two-story frame on Jefferson-st., recently vacated by James Travis.